MEDICAL BENEFITS COMPARISON SPREADSHEET



Effective Date: September 1, 2014

REMINDER: This is a general outline of medical benefits and not a guarantee of coverage or service. The information is presented in summary form and should be used for general comparison purposes only. Consult with either Regence or Group Health with specific questions. Provisions of the plan that are calculated on a calendar year basis are deductibles and Out of Pocket Maximums. Each January 1, those calendar year maximums begin again.

Regence Plan A	Regence Plan B	Group Health Alliant Plus
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PLAN DESCRIPTION	PLAN DESCRIPTION	PLAN DESCRIPTION
The Regence Preferred Plan offers a wide choice of	The Regence Preferred Plan offers a wide choice of	The Group Health Alliant Plus Plan provides
health care providers who have agreed to accept	health care providers who have agreed to accept	comprehensive health care services. To receive in-
negotiated fees for their services to you, as well as	negotiated fees for their services to you, as well as	network benefits, participants must select a clinic and/or
providers who are not contracted with Regence	providers who are not contracted with Regence	a Primary Care Provider (PCP) from the provider list.
BlueShield. Preferred Providers (PPO) are Category 1	BlueShield. Preferred Providers (PPO) are Category 1	Providers include Group Health doctors at Group Health
and are paid at the highest level. Participating Providers	and are paid at the highest level. Participating Providers	medical centers, Group Health contracted providers in
(Par) are Category 2 and are paid at the second level of	(Par) are Category 2 and are paid at the second level of	the community, Virginia Mason and Everett Clinic
benefits. Category 3 Providers (Non Par) are not	benefits. Category 3 Providers (Non Par) are not	medical centers, plus out-of-network coverage.
contracted and are also in the second level of benefits.	contracted and are also in the second level of benefits.	Referrals are necessary for some services. Please consult
Co-pays are waived for Category 3, as there may be	Co-pays are waived for Category 3, as there may be	your PCP or Group Health Member Services for more information.
balance billing. Regence Plan A does not require you to choose a Primary Care Provider (PCP) or to seek	balance billing. Plan B does not require you to choose a Primary Care Provider (PCP) or to seek referrals for	information.
referrals for most services. Fees in addition to the	most services. Fees in addition to the deductible and	
deductible and coinsurance will be applied to specific	coinsurance will be applied to specific imaging studies,	
imaging studies, inpatient surgery, and outpatient	inpatient surgery, and outpatient surgery.	
surgery. Plan A offers an enriched benefit for certain	inputione surgery, and outputione surgery.	
chronic conditions. Some treatments for depression,		
asthma, Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease		
(COPD), Congestive Heart Failure (CHF), Coronary		
Artery Disease (CAD) and diabetes are covered at 100%		
with a waived deductible when using a Category 1		
provider. Specifically: eye exams for diabetes;		
spirometry for diagnosis of COPD and asthma; specific		
outpatient labs/imaging for asthma, COPD, CHF, CAD,		
and diabetes. Additionally, some generic medications		
for asthma, diabetes, CAD, COPD, CHF, and depression		
have no co-pay. Some brand formulary insulin and		
diabetic supplies also have no co-pay.		

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PLAN INFORMATION	PLAN INFORMATION	PLAN INFORMATION
www.wa.regence.com	www.wa.regence.com	www.ghc.org
Customer Service Number: 1-866-219-4116	Customer Service Number: 1-866-219-4116	Customer Service Number: 1- 888-901-4636
PHYSICIANS	PHYSICIANS	PHYSICIANS
Category 1 & 2 (PPO and Par): You will not be billed for	Category 1 & 2 (PPO and Par): You will not be billed for	You may choose a primary care provider at Group Health
balances beyond any deductible, co-payment, and/or	balances beyond any deductible, co-payment, and/or	medical centers, Group Health contracted providers, The
co-insurance for covered services	co-insurance for covered services	Everett Clinic, or Virginia Mason. You can also use any
Category 3 (Non Par): You may be billed for balances	Category 3 (Non Par): You may be billed for balances	outside network physician at the out of network benefit
beyond any deductible and/or co-insurance	beyond any deductible and/or co-insurance	level; see EXTENDED/OUTSIDE NETWORK BENEFITS
ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS	ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS	ALTERNATIVE HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS
Naturopaths covered same as physician services.	Naturopaths covered same as physician services.	Inside Network: Subject to co-pay
Massage therapy incorporated in existing rehabilitation	Massage therapy incorporated in existing rehabilitation	Outside Network: \$20 co-pay, deductible and co-
benefits for physical therapy treatment. Massage	benefits for physical therapy treatment. Massage	insurance apply. Self-referral to contracted naturopathic
treatments at a spa are not a covered benefit.	treatments at a spa are not a covered benefit.	providers for 3 visits per condition, per calendar year.
Acupuncture covered 12 visits per year. If for chemical	Acupuncture covered 12 visits per year. If for chemical	Self-referral to contracted acupuncturist for 8 visits per
dependency, covered the same as chemical dependency	dependency, covered the same as chemical dependency	diagnosis, per calendar year.
benefits. Not covered for smoking cessation.	benefits. Not covered for smoking cessation.	
EXTENDED/OUTSIDE NETWORK BENEFITS	EXTENDED/OUTSIDE NETWORK BENEFITS	EXTENDED/OUTSIDE NETWORK BENEFITS
Outside Service Area: Benefits are the same regardless	Outside Service Area: Benefits are the same regardless	You may choose an outside network physician without a
of your geographic location. To receive the highest	of your geographic location. To receive the highest	referral if you are willing to pay a greater share of the
benefit level, members must utilize the local Blue	benefit level, members must utilize the local Blue	costs.
Cross/Blue Shield providers.	Cross/Blue Shield providers.	
DEDUCTIBLE	DEDUCTIBLE	DEDUCTIBLE
\$300/person, \$600/couple, \$900/family (3+ people)	PPO & Par Providers: None	Inside Network: None
	Non Par: \$200/person, \$600/family	Outside Network: \$200/person, \$300/family
OUT OF POCKET MAXIMUMS*	OUT OF POCKET MAXIMUMS	OUT OF POCKET MAXIMUMS
\$1,100/person, \$2,500/family	PPO & Par: \$2,500/person, \$7,500/family	Inside Network: \$1,000/member, \$2,000/family
Includes deductible	Non Par: \$10,200/person, \$30,600/family	Outside Network: \$2,200/member, \$4,300/family
	Includes deductible	
PHYSICIAN OFFICE VISITS	PHYSICIAN OFFICE VISITS	PHYSICIAN OFFICE VISITS
PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible	PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100%	Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100%
Par: 70% after deductible	Par: \$30 co-pay, 70%	Outside Network: \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible
Non Par: 70% after deductible	Non Par: 70% after deductible	
INPATIENT HOSPITAL	INPATIENT HOSPITAL	INPATIENT HOSPITAL
PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible	PPO: Covered at 100%	Inside Network: Covered at 100%
Par: 70% after deductible	Par: 70%	Outside Network: 80% after deductible
Non Par: 70% after deductible	Non Par: 70% after deductible	

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OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	OUTPATIENT HOSPITAL Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100% Outside Network: \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible
SURGERY ANESTHESIA PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible HOME HEALTH VISITS Limited to 130 visits per year Covered at 90% after deductible	SURGERY ANESTHESIA PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible HOME HEALTH VISITS Limited to 130 visits per year PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70%	SURGERY ANESTHESIA Inside Network: Covered at 100% Outside Network: 80% after deductible HOME HEALTH VISITS Inside Network: Covered within Options Network when prescribed as medically necessary by an Options Network Provider
HEARING EXAMS Not covered EYE EXAMS	Non Par: 70% after deductible HEARING EXAMS PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible EYE EXAMS Not sovered Refer to RECENCE VISION DIAN	HEARING EXAMS Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100% Outside Network: \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible EYE EXAMS
Diabetic eye exams: PPO: Covered at 100%, deductible waived Par: & Non-Par: 70% after deductible Regular eye exams: Not covered - Refer to REGENCE VISION PLAN	Not covered - Refer to REGENCE VISION PLAN	Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100% Outside Network: Not covered
 PREVENTATIVE CARE EXAMS Preventive care services include routine well-baby care, routine physical examinations, routine well-women's care, routine immunizations and routine health screenings Provider counseling for tobacco use cessation Women's contraceptive methods, sterilization procedures, and patient education and counseling services in accordance with any frequency guidelines according to, and as recommended by HRSA Certain services such as screening for gestational diabetes, breast feeding support, supplies and counseling. PPO: Covered at 100%, not subject to deductible Par: 100%, not subject to deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible 	 PREVENTATIVE CARE EXAMS Preventive care services include routine well-baby care, routine physical examinations, routine well-women's care, routine immunizations and routine health screenings Provider counseling for tobacco use cessation Women's contraceptive methods, sterilization procedures, and patient education and counseling services in accordance with any frequency guidelines according to, and as recommended by HRSA Certain services such as screening for gestational diabetes, breast feeding support, supplies and counseling. PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 100% Non Par: 70% after deductible 	PREVENTATIVE CARE EXAMS Follows federal health reform guidelines. Inside Network: Covered at 100% Outside Network: 100%, not subject to deductible Women's preventive care services (including contraceptive drugs and devices and sterilization) are covered in full.

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OUT OF AREA BENEFITS PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible	OUT OF AREA BENEFITS PPO: Covered at 100%	OUT OF AREA BENEFITS Coverage worldwide for emergency: \$200 co-pay
Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	(waived if admitted), 80% after deductible
SKILLED NURSING Limited to 90 days per year PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	SKILLED NURSING Limited to 90 days per year PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	SKILLED NURSING Inside Network: Covered with pre-authorization by Options Network as a cost-saving alternative to acute care hospitalization for up to 60 days Outside Network: 80% after deductible for up to 60 days
AMBULANCE Covered at 80% after deductible, any recognized provider	AMBULANCE Covered at 80% after deductible, any recognized provider;	AMBULANCE Inside Network: Covered at 80%; Options Network initiated non-emergency transfers covered in full Outside Network: 80% after deductible
X-RAY/LAB PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible* Non PPO: 70% after deductible Mammograms covered *LDL-C, HbA1C, urine microalbum labs covered at 100%, deductible waived for PPO *Spirometry testing covered for asthma and COPD at 100%, deductible waived for PPO The following imaging services have a \$100 co-pay in addition to co-insurance/deductible: Bone density study, Computer Tomography (CT) scan, Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Magnetic Resonance Angiogram (MRA), Position Emission Tomography (PET), & Single-Proton Emission	X-RAY/LAB PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible Mammograms covered The following imaging services have a \$100 co-pay in addition to co-insurance/deductible: Bone density study, Computer Tomography (CT) scan, Magnetic Resonance Imaging (MRI), Magnetic Resonance Angiogram (MRA), Position Emission Tomography (PET), & Single-Proton Emission Tomography (SPECT)	X-RAY/LAB Inside Network: Covered at 100% Outside Network: 80% after deductible Mammograms covered
Tomography (SPECT) RADIATION THERAPY PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Non PPO: 70% after deductible	RADIATION THERAPY PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	RADIATION THERAPY Inside Network: Covered at 100% inpatient; \$20 co-pay outpatient Outside Network: 80% after deductible inpatient; \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible outpatient

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REHABILITATION THERAPY Physician referral required Inpatient: 32 days Outpatient/PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% to 55 visits per year after deductible Non Par: 70% to 55 visits per year after deductible	REHABILITATION THERAPY Physician referral required Inpatient: 32 days Outpatient/PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% to 55 visits a year Par: \$30 co-pay, 70% to 55 visits a year Non Par: 70% to 55 visits a year after deductible	REHABILITATION THERAPY Inpatient: Covered at 100% up to 60 days inside/outside network Outpatient: \$20 co-pay up to 60 visits/condition Outside Network: 80% after deductible
NEURODEVELOPMENTAL (TO AGE 7) Physician referral required Limited to 36 visits per year PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Non PPO: 70% after deductible	NEURODEVELOPMENTAL (TO AGE 7) Physician referral required Limited to 36 visits per year PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% Par: \$30 co-pay, 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	NEURODEVELOPMENTAL (TO AGE 7) See REHABILITATION THERAPY
MENTAL HEALTH CARE PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 90% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	MENTAL HEALTH CARE PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% Par: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% Non Par: 70% after deductible	MENTAL HEALTH CARE Inside Network: Inpatient: Covered in full Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, deductible applies Outside Network: Inpatient: Deductible and co-insurance applies Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, deductible and co-insurance applies
TREATMENT OF CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 90% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	TREATMENT OF CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 100% Non Par: 70% after deductible	Inside Network: Inpatient: Covered in full Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, deductible applies Outside Network: Inpatient: Deductible and co-insurance applies Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, deductible and co-insurance applies
HOME HEALTH CARE Limited to 130 visits per calendar year Covered at 90% after deductible, any recognized provider	HOME HEALTH CARE Limited to 130 visits per calendar year PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	HOME HEALTH CARE Inside Network: Covered at 100% with pre- authorization; no visit limit Outside Network: 80% after deductible; no visit limits
HOSPICE CARE Limited to 14 respite days per lifetime Covered at 90% after deductible, any recognized provider	HOSPICE CARE Limited to 14 respite days per lifetime PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	HOSPICE CARE Inside Network: Covered at 100% when provided and coordinated through Options Network approved hospice program Outside Network: 80% after deductible

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SPINAL MANIPULATIONS Limited to 10 spinal manipulations per calendar year by a chiropractor or osteopath PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible PODIATRY	SPINAL MANIPULATIONS Limited to 10 spinal manipulations per calendar year by a chiropractor or osteopath PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% Par: \$30 co-pay, 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible PODIATRY	SPINAL MANIPULATIONS Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100% to 10 visits per calendar year Outside Network: \$20 co-pay, 80% up to 10 visits after deductible PODIATRY
PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible \$300 co-pay in addition to co-insurance and deductible for Hammer Toe and bunion surgery	PPO: \$30 co-pay, covered at 100% Par: \$30 co-pay, 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible \$300 co-pay in addition to co-insurance and deductible for Hammer Toe and bunion surgery	Inside Network: \$20 co-pay; covered at 100% Outside Network: 80% after deductible; when medically necessary
MATERNITY Covered as any other condition Pregnancies of dependent daughters are covered First 21 days of newborn care covered	MATERNITY Covered as any other condition Pregnancies of dependent daughters are covered First 21 days of newborn care covered	MATERNITY Inside Network: Covered at 100%; prenatal/postpartum care is covered subject to \$20 co-pay per outpatient visit Outside Network: 80% after deductible
CONTRACEPTIVE DEVICES AND DRUGS Covered at 100%	CONTRACEPTIVE DEVICES AND DRUGS Covered at 100%	CONTRACEPTIVE DEVICES AND DRUGS Covered at 100%
ELECTIVE STERILIZATION See OUTPATIENT SURGERY	ELECTIVE STERILIZATION See OUTPATIENT SURGERY	Inside Network: \$20 co-pay, covered at 100% Outside Network: 80% after deductible Women's sterilization procedures are covered in full
DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible DURABLE MEDICAL SUPPLIES PPO: Covered at 80% after deductible	DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible DURABLE MEDICAL SUPPLIES PPO: Covered at 80%	DURABLE MEDICAL EQUIPMENT Inside Network: Covered at 100% Outside Network: 100% after deductible DURABLE MEDICAL SUPPLIES Inside Network: Covered at 100%
Par: 80% after deductible Non Par: 80% after deductible TMJ	Par: 80% Non Par: 80% after deductible TMJ	Outside Network: 100% after deductible TMJ
PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible Par: 70% after deductible Non Par: 70% after deductible	PPO: Covered at 100% Par: 70% Non Par: 70% after deductible	Inside Network: Inpatient: Covered at 100% Outpatient: \$20 co-pay Outside Network: Inpatient: 80% after deductible Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible

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TRANSPLANT PPO: Covered at 90% after deductible with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) Par: 70% with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) Non Par: 70% with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) OUTPATIENT PRESCRIPTION DRUGS 30 day retail supply / 90 day mail order supply \$10 co-pay generic / \$20 co-pay generic \$20 brand formulary / \$40 brand formulary \$30 non formulary / \$60 non formulary Some generic medications for asthma, diabetes,	TRANSPLANT PPO: Covered at 100% with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) Par: 70% with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) Non Par: 70% with no lifetime max; requires pre-authorization by plan and 12 month waiting period (time credit available) OUTPATIENT PRESCRIPTION DRUGS 30 day retail supply / 90 day mail order supply \$10 co-pay generic / \$20 co-pay generic \$20 brand formulary / \$40 brand formulary \$30 non formulary / \$60 non formulary	TRANSPLANT No lifetime maximum; requires pre-authorization by plan; no waiting period Inside Network: Inpatient: Covered at 100% Outpatient: \$20 co-pay Outside Network: Inpatient: 80% after deductible Outpatient: \$20 co-pay, 80% after deductible OUTPATIENT PRESCRIPTION DRUGS Inside Network: \$15 co-pay up to 30 day supply; mail order \$5 discount per 30 day supply Outside Network: you pay 20% generic cost unless brand name is medically necessary or \$20 co-pay, whichever is greater; must use a Med-Impact pharmacy;
coronary heart disease (CAD), chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD), Coronary Heart Failure (CHF), and depression have no co-pay. Some brand formulary insulin and diabetic supplies also have no co-pay. Please see "Value Plus Medication List" for more information.		mail order not available
MONTHLY RATES	MONTHLY RATES	MONTHLY RATES
Employee Only: \$5	Employee Only: \$10	Employee Only: \$0
Employee & Spouse/Partner: \$20	Employee & Spouse/Partner: \$39	Employee & Spouse/Partner: \$0
Employee & Child(ren): \$8	Employee & Child(ren): \$17	Employee & Child(ren): \$0
Employee & Family: \$24	Employee & Family: \$46	Employee & Family: \$0

Rates apply to employees working 35+ hours per week. Employees working less than 35 hours per week will be offered benefits with pro-rated premiums.